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CITY STAFF RELEASED DIVERSITY PLAN FOR INCLUSION OF MINORITY-, WOMEN- AND VETERAN OWNED BUSINESSES ON REBUILDINDY PROGRAM

BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS JOINED REBUILDINDY AND CITY STAFF FOR ROLLOUT OF DIVERSITY PLAN

INDIANAPOLIS – On Thursday, December 2, Department of Public Works (DPW) Director David Sherman and Greg Wilson, Director of the Department of Minority and Women Business Development released a diversity plan for Mayor Ballard’s RebuildIndy Program. Community leaders and representatives from the construction industry joined City staff and the RebuildIndy team for an overview of the plan.

“We’re committed to ensuring that minority-, women- and veteran-owned businesses are aware of the opportunities for work on the RebuildIndy program,” said Wilson. “There’s a lot of work happening throughout the City, which means vast opportunities for small businesses and that’s something that we’re excited about.”

The plan focuses on employing a diverse workforce and providing the maximum practicable opportunities for inclusion of minority-, women- and veteran-owned business participation on the RebuildIndy Program.

RebuildIndy is Mayor Ballard’s initiative to transform the city through investment in infrastructure improvements to restore deteriorating thoroughfares, residential streets, sidewalks and bridges, as well as address neighborhood drainage and flooding issues and demolish unsalvageable homes that pose a public safety threat to neighborhoods.

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